



TRUSTEES OF THE FREEHOLDERS AND COMMONALTY OF THE TOWN
OF SOUTHAMPTON APPLICATION

4x4 AND/OR BOAT RAMP VEHICLE RESIDENT ID APPLICATION

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Phone: 631-287-5717 Fax: 631-287-5723

4x4 VEHICLE RESIDENT ID: (All-Wheel Drive vehicles are **NOT** 4x4 vehicles)

____ Resident/Taxpayer Fee: \$20.00
____ Senior Citizen Resident/Taxpayer (62 & older) ***Proof of age required** Fee: \$10.00

BOAT RAMP RESIDENT ID: (Provide **VEHICLE** registration **NOT** **TRAILER** registration)

____ Resident/Taxpayer Fee: \$20.00
____ Senior Citizen Resident/Taxpayer ***Proof of age required** Fee: \$10.00
____ Non-Resident Fee: \$150.00
____ Commercial User – Resident Fee: \$40.00
____ Commercial User – Non- Resident Fee: \$250.00

Please note The Southampton Town Trustees accept **cash or check only**. Please make check payable to **Southampton Town Trustees**.

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Phone #: _____ Alt. Phone #: _____

Southampton Town Street Address: _____ Mailing Address: _____

VEHICLE INFORMATION:

Make: _____ Model: _____ Year: _____ Plate #: _____

A Resident ID confers no rights within any incorporated village. You must apply to the Village in which you seek to operate a 4x4 vehicle for such permit as the Village may issue. Resident ID is valid for the calendar year in which it is issued.

No person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle on bay beach areas or ocean beach areas unless said vehicle is registered and unless the driver or operator is covered by a liability insurance policy equivalent to that required by the State of New York for the operation of a motor vehicle upon public highways and unless said vehicle displays a permit on the front bumper to operate said motor vehicle in said area from the Town Trustees. Such permit shall be issued by the Town Trustees upon application therefor if the applicant possesses a valid license to operate a motor vehicle on public highways and executes an affidavit that said vehicle contains the following equipment: jack, jack board, tow chain or rope, air pressure gauge, tire inflation device and shovel. **Permits will only be issued to four-wheel-drive vehicles.**

Resident/Taxpayer Residency Requirements:

- **Current VEHICLE registration** (name on the vehicle registration must match proof of residency)
 - * If the registration is in a business name or corporation, please provide us with a credit card with the resident's name and the business name, a check with the resident's name and the business name **or** a notarized letter on the business letterhead giving the resident permission to use the company's vehicle.
 - * If you have a temporary registration, provide a copy of the temporary registration and a copy of your current vehicle insurance.
- **Please provide ONE of the following residency requirements:**
 - Current driver's license with a Town of Southampton Street Address
 - A current tax bill with the applicant's name listed in the owner's box
 - * If the tax bill is in a corporation or LLC, please supply Articles of Incorporation or LLC documentation
 - * If the tax bill is in your spouse's name, please include a copy of your marriage certificate
 - Three (3) utility bills service to a street address in the township
 - * One current, one from six months ago, and one from a year ago

Senior Citizen Requirements:

- In addition to the above residency requirements, proof of age is required for persons **62 and older**.

Non-Resident (For Boat Ramp ONLY):

- Valid **VEHICLE** registration

Non-US Citizen/Temporary Visitors: Temporary Visitor Status for Non-US citizens must be valid on New York State Driver's License.

FOR MAIL IN IDs: A self-addressed, stamped envelope (4 ½ x 10 3/8 – size #10 or bigger) must be submitted with application and residency requirements. The Trustees Office is **not** responsible for postal errors.

FOR E-MAIL IDs: Please be advised that all fees are non-refundable once submitted. Trustees shall not be responsible for refunding fees in the event any documentation submitted is rendered invalid.

*All fees are **non-refundable**. Any replacements including but not limited to lost or stolen Resident IDs will be charged at full price with a new application and all requirements.*

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

ARTICLE XI

Ramp & 4x4 Beach Driving Permits

SECTION 1 – Permit Required – Fees and Regulations

Ramp Permits:

A) No person shall make use of any Trustee boat ramp unless such person has obtained a permit as prescribed by these Rules and Regulations.

B) Ramps may be used by a Freeholder, Resident or Taxpayer upon first applying for and obtaining an annual ramp permit from the Town Trustees. There shall be a fee of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for such permit and said permit shall expire the last day of the year of issue. There shall be a fee of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for Freeholder, Resident or Taxpayer Senior Citizens aged 62 or older, on the date of application.

C) Ramps may be used by a Non-Resident upon first applying and obtaining a Non-Resident annual permit from the Town Trustees of the Town of Southampton. There shall be a One Hundred Fifty Dollar (\$150.00) for such permit and said permit shall expire the last day of the year of issue.

D) Ramps may be used by a Commercial User upon first applying for and obtaining an annual Commercial ramp permit from the Town Trustees of the Town of Southampton. There shall be a fee of Forty Dollars (\$40.00) for a Resident Commercial User and a fee of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) for a Non-Resident Commercial User. Said permit shall expire the last day of the year of issue.

E) Any person qualified as set forth above may obtain a permit for use of the Trustee ramps by making an application therefore and paying the fee as set forth above.

F) Such application shall be made in writing in the form prescribed by the Town Trustees and shall include, but not be limited to the following information:

The applicant's name and date of birth

The applicant's residence with street number, if any.

The length of applicant's residence in the Town of Southampton.

The applicant's domicile outside the Town of Southampton.

The applicant's real property owned in the Town of Southampton, with street number, if any.

Description of the vehicle for which a boat ramp permit is sought, including the make, model, year and registration number. The applicant is also required to produce a valid registration for said vehicle.

No permits will be issued to dealer plates.

G) Application for a boat ramp permit shall be valid for the calendar year in which it is issued.

H) Any non-commercial resident permit issued hereunder shall become void if the holder ceases to be a Freeholder, Resident or Taxpayer.

I) When a Boat Ramp permit application is accepted by the Town Trustees, a boat ramp sticker will be issued to the applicant. Such sticker shall be affixed to the vehicle on the rear window above the license plate, or on the driver's side vent window.

J) The application shall be filed in the Town Trustee's Office.

Beach Driving 4x4 Permits:

A) No person shall beach drive on Town Beaches unless such person has obtained a permit as prescribed by these Rules and Regulations.

B) Beach driving permits can be obtained by Freeholder, Resident or Taxpayer upon first applying for and obtaining an annual 4x4 permit from the Town Trustees. There shall be a fee of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for such permit and said permit shall expire the last day of the year of issue. There shall be a fee of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for Freeholder, Resident or Taxpayer Senior Citizens aged 62 or older, on the date of application.

C) 4x4 Beach Driving Permits may not be purchased by Non-Residents.

D) Any person qualified as set forth above may obtain a 4x4 permit by making an application therefore and paying the fee as set forth above.

E) Such application shall be made in writing in the form prescribed by the Town Trustees and shall include, but not be limited to the following information:

The applicant's name and date of birth

The applicant's residence with street number, if any.

The length of applicant's residence in the Town of Southampton.

The applicant's domicile outside the Town of Southampton.

The applicant's real property owned in the Town of Southampton, with street number, if any.

Description of the vehicle for which a 4x4 permit is sought, including the make, model, year and registration number. The applicant is also required to produce a valid registration for said vehicle.

No permits will be issued to dealer plates.

F) 4x4 permits shall be valid for the calendar year in which it is issued.

G) When a 4x4 permit application is accepted by the Town Trustees, a permit sticker will be issued to the applicant. Such sticker shall be affixed to the vehicle on the front bumper, driver's side.

H) The application shall be filed in the Town Trustee's Office.

SECTION 2 – Transferability of Boat Ramp or 4x4 Beach Driving Permits

A) Any transfer of ownership of the vehicle to any other person, partnership or corporation shall terminate the permit.

B) Should the permittee change vehicles during the permit period, and notify the Town Trustees of a change of vehicle, the Town Trustees shall be authorized to issue a new sticker, identifying the change in the vehicle and registration number. (The new registration must be provided and the old stickers must be returned to the Trustees in order for free replacements to be given.)

C) A permit is required for each vehicle using the ramp or 4x4 beach driving not withstanding the fact that one person owns several vehicles.

ARTICLE XII

Beach Regulations & 4x4 Beach Driving

SECTION 1 - 4x4 Beach Driving

A) It shall be unlawful for any person to drive or operate a motor vehicle on bay beach or on ocean beach areas between the Friday immediately preceding Memorial Day and the 15th day of September in each year between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. except for areas specifically designated by resolution of the Trustees for daytime use. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no vehicles shall be allowed on Foster Memorial Beach (commonly known as Long Beach, Noyack) at any time from May 15th to September 14th at midnight. (Note: Exceptions in Paragraphs 10, 11, 12, and 13). All day 4x4 vehicle use is permitted between Roads F & G, along the eastern boundary of Shinnecock East County Park, and at Cold Spring Road, 300' east of road to boulder, off Peconic Bay, during the summer season only.

No person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle on bay beach areas or ocean beach areas unless said vehicle is registered and unless the driver or operator is covered by liability insurance policy equivalent to that required by the State of New York for the operation of a motor vehicle upon public highways and unless said vehicle displays a permit on the front bumper to operate said motor vehicle in said area from the Town Trustees. Such permit shall be issued by the Trustees upon application, if the applicant possesses a valid license to operate a motor vehicle on public highways and executes an affidavit that said vehicle contains the following equipment: jack, jack board, tow chain or rope, air pressure gauge, tire inflation device and shovel. Permits will only be issued to four-wheel drive vehicles. Permits will expire on December 31st of the calendar year of issue. The fee for said permit shall be Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for Residents, Freeholders, or Taxpayers of the Town of Southampton and Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for Senior Citizen Resident, Freeholders or Taxpayers of the Town of Southampton, aged 62 or older, on the day of application.

No person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle on bay beach areas or ocean beach areas unless said vehicle is equipped as prescribed in the foregoing paragraph.

No person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle in excess of ten (10) miles per hour on any beach areas or ocean beach areas within the Town.

No person shall drive or operate any All Terrain Vehicle (ATV), (including Quads, Mules, Gators) or motorcycle at any time on any bay beach areas or ocean beach areas within the Town.

No person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle on any dunes, beach grasses or wetlands vegetation of any kind.

The Town Trustees reserve the right to temporarily close any beach areas or any part thereof to vehicular traffic during periods of severe beach erosion or for any other reason that they deem necessary. Signs will be posted in conspicuous access areas to advise the public of the location and duration of any temporary closure.

No person shall display or use a four-wheel drive vehicle permit unless said permit properly applies to the vehicle owner's residency status at the time of said use and is displayed only on the vehicle for which it was issued.

In addition to other penalties provided herein, any person to whom a permit has been issued who violates a provision of paragraphs A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H shall have said permit revoked when it is legally determined that any paragraph has been violated. If such violation is the first violation of this section, such person shall be eligible to apply for, purchase, and receive a new permit. A person shall not be eligible for issuance of a permit if he had twice violated the provisions of this section within one year from the date of application.

The provisions of this section shall not apply to Town, County, or State employees or Contractors working under the direction or supervision of the Town, or emergency vehicles.

The provisions of paragraph 1 shall not apply to a commercial fisherman holding a valid New York State Department of Environmental Conservation "Resident Marine Commercial Food Fish Fishing License" actively engaged in a commercial fishing activity. All other restrictions shall apply.

Nothing contained in this article shall prevent the launching or retrieval of boats from the terminus of the Town or Trustee's roads, except as provided in Article XIV.

Special daytime use areas – Daytime 4x4 access beach driving and parking are permitted in the following areas:

1) Southampton Village – Between Roads F & G, along ocean beach (west of the Shinnecock East County Park's eastern boundary)

Peconic Bay Access – at the foot of Cold Spring Road, beach parking is allowed in a section extending 300' east of road to boulder, as indicated by a sign – Access only to be from Cold Spring Road.